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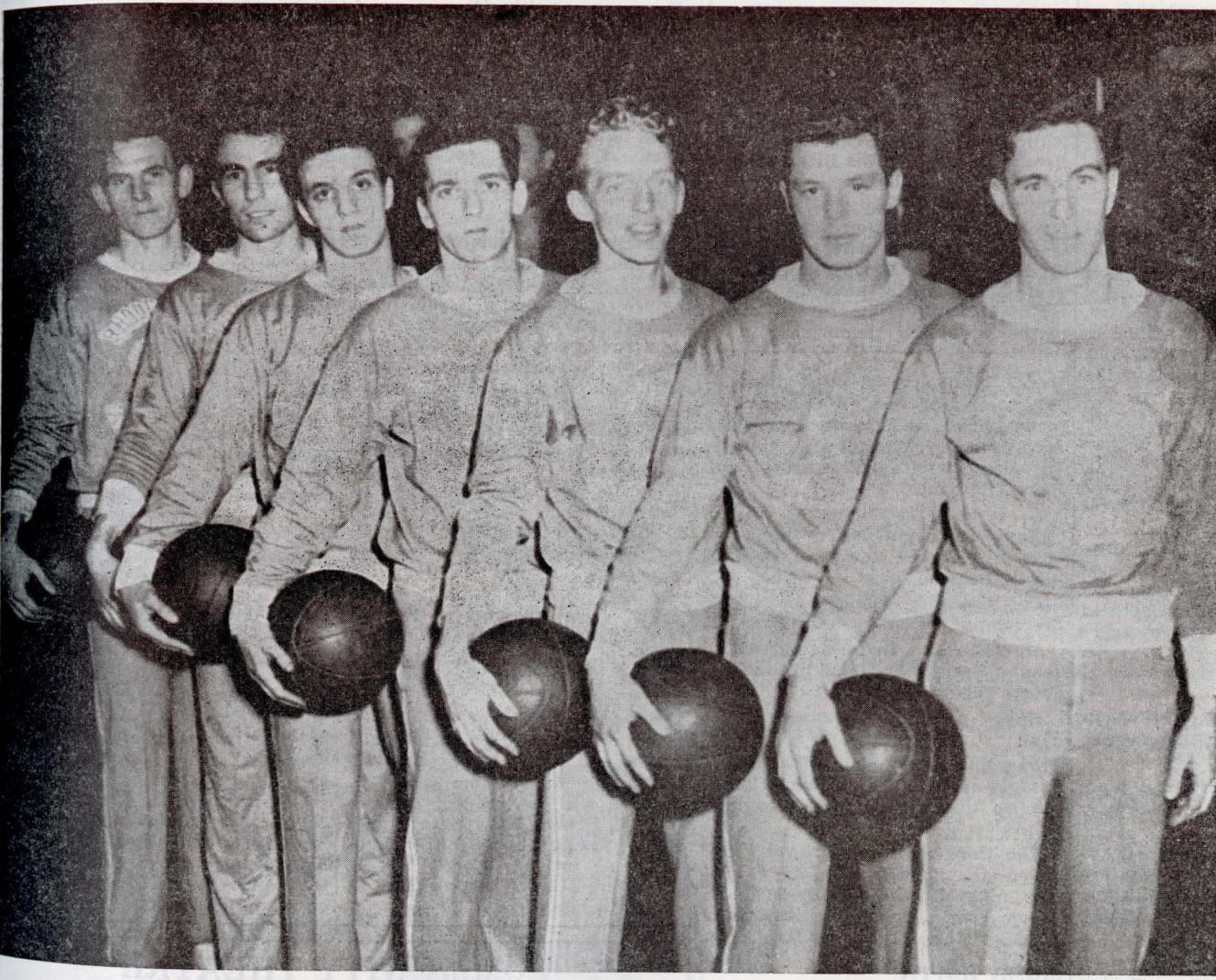
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## They Bowled Over the Green!



Shea, Palmieri, Scalfani, Hole, Nichols, Allen, Calverley

### Rams Dazzle Garden Fans

By John Paliotti

With only four seconds remaining to a basketball spectacle which would have meant a defeat by two-points at the hands of Bowling Green, Rhode Island State's scin-

tillating and indispensable Ernie Calverley sank a long shot from the backcourt that put the Rams back into a game that resulted in a brilliant 82-79 overtime victory in the National Invitation Tournament at Madison Square Garden Thursday night. The Rams will play tonight and Wednesday in the finals.

The Rams, who were 11-point underdogs, thrilled the New York-

ers with their fancy all-around play. Calverley fired the longest shot that Garden spectators have ever witnessed. The crowd was almost hysterical, cheering vociferously, and giving Ernie the greatest applause ever given to a Garden player. Ernie continually displayed accurate aerial artistry, dominant and fancy dribbling. His incredible playing left the fans cheerless—they were dazed.

The towering 6-ft. 11½-in. Don Otten of Bowling Green was the Rams' chief threat all evening, not because of his playing, but because of his height. He is a kind of human skyscraper tapping in the balls with which his teammates fail to score. The Bowling Green team, once the "tower" was out, showed their weakness. They lacked everything that the Rhode

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Rhody's  
Rams  
Who  
Panicked  
Madison  
Square  
Garden

## Sorority Row

### CHI OMEGA

Nancy Waite and Phyllis Cunningham spent the week-end at the University of Conn. at the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority house, and attended the Annual Greek Letter formal.

Lyn Reed was the week-end guest of Lee Langspecht at her home in Ossining, N. Y.

Trudi Farnum was the week-end guest of Grace Stover at her home in Milton, Mass.

Pfc. Bob Werner, a student at Amherst College, was the guest of Lee Wilson over the week-end.

### DAVIS HALL

Kay Markel entertained her sister, Frieda, over the week-end.

Jane Grossman and Barbara Snell attended the New York game.

The reason for Mrs. Wines' beaming smile these days is the arrival of her discharged husband, Warren.

### DELTA ZETA

Many new voices were discovered at the "Sing" held at D.Z. Friday evening, March 8th. Especially the quartet under the able direction of Ronnie Place. Also, Ken Froebert really did justice to "Stout Hearted Men." However, one sing was not enough for the D.Z.'s, who stayed down for the week-end; so Saturday night with cokes and freshly roasted popcorn many lyrics to popular songs were rendered. Feature song by Tillie and Skip, "I Lost My Heart to an A.S.T.P."

A recent tea dance at Regis College was brightened by the presence of Clarisse Aubin. Had a wonderful time.

## Rams Win Benefit Game

Led by brilliant Ernie Calverley, Pawtucket's protege of artistry in rhythm, Rhode Island State's high-flying Rams concluded their regular basketball schedule by downing a stubborn Brown University five, 72-52, at the benefit game for the War Memorial Student Union Fund at the Rhode Island Auditorium in Providence on Tuesday, March 12.

Electrifying the 6,125 fans with his amazing shooting and dominant dribbling, Calverley was without a doubt the persistent factor in the Ram avalanche. He was the most spectacular performer throughout the contest.

Ernie scored a total of 25 points, and in addition to being a high man for the night, set up numerous other scoring plays for his mates. Dick Hole, also a standout in victory, shook the nets for 20 points, while "Woody" Grimshaw, the Brown captain, led his Bruin teammates with 21 markers.

In the preliminary, the Newport Naval Training Center defeated the Quonset Flyers, 59 to 54, in another thrilling contest. Proceeds from the game added up to the amazing total of \$8989.76 to be turned over to the State War Memorial.

"Back" club are Janet Laipson's "Frammie" (or does everyone already know), and Candy Reynolds' Jack, Janice Macomber's "Bob." The list grows longer every time Narr. 1126 rings.

The Gadwall family "invaded" the campus recently—nuff said.

Miss Barbara Dennise and Miss Joanna Berry were Jane Peterson's guests this week-end.

Happy birthday to Loretta Capuano.

The lounge is silent, the small lounge as bad. My, what Lent can do to some people's smoking habits.

The third floor could rightly be called the game room of E. R. One night it was "Thar's a Bar" (boom crash), tennis, or handball. Well, at least it's lots of fun.

### SIGMA KAPPA

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Gray are the proud parents of a daughter, Jane Elizabeth, who was born February 22. Mrs. Gray is the former Mary Lightbody.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton D. Lanphear, Jr., are the parents of a son born March 2nd. Mrs. Lanphear is the former Margery Flick.

Sentimental, smooth, and swingy would be an excellent way to describe the "Stardust" dance of last Friday evening. There was a good turnout and everyone had a wonderful time.

Marjorie Place entertained Miriam Wood recently.

Added to the "My Guy's Come

### Thanks, Students

"I certainly appreciate the cooperation of the students at the team's homecoming on Friday," said Elmer LaCoste, station agent at West Kingston. "For their own safety I had to ask some of them to get off certain dangerous places, and they readily agreed. I hope when the boys come back on Tuesday and Thursday the students won't let themselves get out of control, for it might be tragic. Please tell the students we thank them for their cooperation and fine spirit."

## Rams to Play 13 Contests

Two games with Brown and Providence College are on the 13-game baseball schedule of the Rams, who return to the diamond this Spring following a four-year layoff during the war years.

The two Friar contests will be played at Kingston because the Providence College field is not available for use. Six other games will be played here.

The first four games, starting with the University of Maine on April 25, will be played here. New Hampshire University is scheduled for April 27, and Providence College comes here May 3. The first University of Connecticut game will be played here May 8, when, if arrangements are complete, the new State College ram will be presented to the college by Connecticut students.

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## Ramlettes Tie Pembroke, 25-25

### By Jean Kenney

State's girls' varsity basketball team competed against Pembroke's team in Lippitt gym Saturday afternoon, March 9. Although State's star player, Scotty Hart, sank a free shot giving State the first point of the game, Pembroke managed to get a lead of 7-5 at the end of the first quarter.

However, at the half Pembroke trailed State 11-14. Both teams appeared after the half with strengthened determination to be the victor. The third quarter ended with Pembroke leading by one point, 21-20.

The final quarter was the most tense; anything could happen—and did. Pembroke was leading by four points and her guards wouldn't allow State's trio to get between them and the basket. There was only one thing that State could do—shoot long shots. With less

than five minutes left to play, Scotty sent a clean shot through the hoop from a position about three feet from the center line. The spectators went wild—but even wilder when Scotty repeated this performance, tying the score. Pembroke had a free shot at the end of the game, which would have made her the winner if it had been good, but luck and Scotty were on State's side; so the game ended 25-25.

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### Dance for Union

Delta Zeta and the University Club cordially invite the student body to attend an informal vicedance on Friday, from 8 to 10:45 p.m., at Delta Zeta. Admission will be twenty-five cents per person. Proceeds from the dance will go to the War Memorial Union Fund.

Co-chairmen for the affair are Joyce Ann Dawley and Anne Tyler from Delta Zeta and Frank Knight and Dick Serdjenian from the University Club. Everyone come and dance for the new union!

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## Quadrangle Quotes

### What is your impression of the girls of R. I. State College?

Lou Burgess, Lambda Chi—They oughta smarten up!

Bob Brown, Hut 20 — Not very bright.

Elton Tulle Hut 19—Nuff said.

Chuck Wing, Hut 11 — Wouldn't commit myself one way or the other.

Anthony Giannini, Hut 24 — "Hi"

—that seems to be the common greeting.

Dick Jones, Hut 24—Sharp!

James Simmons, Hut 22 — "Nice legs."

Gordon Hall, Hut 18 — Too much make-up.

Bill Heffernan — Very nice, but many have too much lipstick on.

Joe Fiore, Hut 17—Very friendly.

J. A. Guido, Hut 6—Young inexperienced kids trying to act big time.

R. A. Holmes, Hut 22—Send me back to California.

R. J. Gorman, Hut 4—They aren't what they used to be in one house.

Bob McSweeney, Hut 14 — Fair (point-French).

Jack Sullivan, Hut 24—Ought to knock off their "Hi Yas" and "Kids."

Strictly high school expressions.

B. Egan—It's all in their heads.

Ken Slater, Hut 22—Well developed personalities?

Tom Baker, TKE—Perfect examples of American womanhood.

Bob Wilson, TKE—Time out!

Sal Scalfani, Rodman — What a league!

Morris Zarchen, Hut 18—Send me to New Rochelle!

Bob Dahl, TKE and Bob Hanna, PIK—We love them all.

Jack Allen, Hut 12—Best I've ever seen—nothing like them.

Jack Smith, Hut 8—There are a lot of cute girls.

Walter L. Bergman, Hut 8—A car

—a Co-ed—and hold me back.

Hank Zabierek, Hut 23—They're really O. K.

Dick Rutherford, Hut 23—They cer-

tainly have their points.

Ed Becker, Hut 22—Too much true

love.

Tom Muddiman, Hut 22—Oh these

big diamonds.

Bud Wisbey — Seen better in the

Philippines.

Art Kemp, Hut 21—Hubba, Hubba,

and Ooh la la!

## Rhody Ramblings

### Spring is here, the grass is riz I wonder where the veterans is."

Hum — they're not down the Union—could it be there's something SWEET down the line—or maybe they're in their huts—studying? After open house Sunday the boys hope that everyone's curiosity has been appeased. Many a worried parent went home with a light heart knowing that Junior is all taken care of, and that it is possible to live in the huts. Some of the girls got a big kick out of the showers, which look like reconverted phone booths with plumbing.

It looks as though Senator Sam Sarkisian will have a brilliant political career since his election to Student Senate. He thinks several changes should be made here.

What's the dope on the first one, Sam? Has anyone got any ideas as to what would keep the students down here week-ends?

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really O. K.

Have you heard Bob "The Voice"

McCaddin — it's soft and mellow;

you can hear it only as far as the

railroad station. Speaking of

voices, that was a fascinating song

Bob Dahl was crooning to Ernie;

too bad there was an audience. . .

Whoever applies Ray West's rouge

does a thorough job—very tasty!

Why has Jackie Allen changed his

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## THE BEACON

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## Real Spirit

The team that defeated Bowling Green in the opening Invitation Tournament game in New York typified the best tradition of Rhode Island sportsmanship, and the students who greeted them on their return demonstrated the best traditions of Rhody SPIRIT!

Those who have been griping that Rhody spirit is dead can now hold their silence, for the well-deserved welcome given to the Rams on Friday showed our college spirit at its best.

Regardless of the outcome of the next two tournament appearances of Calverley and Company, their demonstration of Rhode Island basketball to a packed Garden was tangible evidence that basketball as played by the boys from Kingston, R. I., is a game of the highest skill that can be played best by contestants in the best of physical condition.

The fighting spirit of the Rams was a tribute to the college whose colors they so gallantly carried through one of the hottest games ever seen in New York.

The Rams played their hearts out, to win for Rhody. We say,

from the bottom of our hearts, "You were tops! Your victory was well earned!"

### FRIENDSHIP IS WORLD'S NEED

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would very likely be impossible to repay, and this would only pile up future problems. "I am convinced that we must help Great Britain. She is still the financial center of the world," he declared. Dr. DeHaas pointed out that by aiding Great Britain with a minimum of investment the United States would enable her to pay back her debts.

The speaker, previous to holding the position of Professor of economics at Harvard, taught at the University of Amsterdam and at many colleges in the United States. For a time he was professor of international relations at Harvard's Graduate School of Business. In 1937 he was chairman of the American Delegation to World Federation of Education Association. He held the rank of captain in World War I. In 1942 he was consultant to the War Department in the Office of Coordinator of Inter-American Affairs. He is the author of many books dealing with world affairs, among them "Looking Ahead to Peace."

The assembly under the sponsorship of the International Relations Club, was arranged by the club's advisor, Dr. William E. Itter, in conjunction with the ninth annual World Affairs Week.

### SORORITY ROW

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A "punch party" was held Tuesday evening for the new members of our advisory board.

We're no longer "presidentless"—"Dat" recuperated, and came back. We're sure glad to see her!

Toni Lewis was maid of honor at her cousin's wedding Saturday in Pawtucket.

Harriet Hirons was the guest of Louis Bugbee over the week-end.

### RAMS TO PLAY 13 CONTESTS

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the Rams go to Boston for the second B. U. contest. The schedule will close with the Brown game at Providence, on June 5.

### RHODY RAMBLINGS

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name to Joe Levinsky—too much publicity or too many clothes on the gym suit. Well, we'll be seeing you around—so watch out for us.

### Tennis Notice

All men interested in trying out for the R. I. State team will begin formal practice March 18.

On March 25, a round robin tournament will begin. All those who are interested submit entries before March 22 to Dr. K. L. Knickerbocker in the English Department, Quinn Hall or to Roger Lavallee in Hut Number 2.



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